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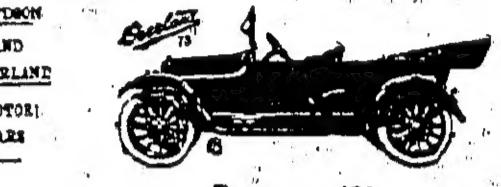
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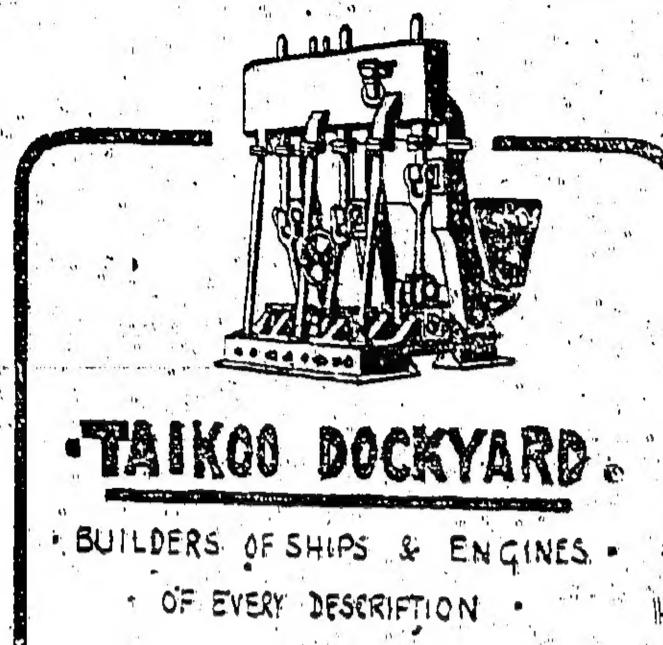
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HEAVILY REPULSED BY THE FRENCH.

Lospon, July 16.

. A French communiqué reports: the Somme and the Aisne, and an attempt to the solith-east of St. Quentin and west of Allemant, failed under our fire.

An attack by several detachments on our small posts to the south of Corbeny was completely repulsed ufter a very lively fight: . We progressed to the south of

Ailles and took some prisoners. After a very violent bombardment in the regions of Mont Haut and Teton, large forces of Germans attacked the position we emptured on July 14. Our troops resisted with indomitable energy and tenacity; the enemy being greatly superior in numbers. The enemy efforts at Toton were also unsuccessful. The our lines.

night at Mont Haut. The enemy who at first succeeded in retaking the greater, part of the captured ground, was driven back by our brilliant" counter-attacks. At present, only some portions of the trenches remain in the enemy's hands,

THE WESTERN FRONT.

LONDON, July 18. Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig] reports:-

We repulsed raids to the northwest of Fontaine-les-Croisilles and near Amnentieres. We successfully carried out a mic

neur Oppy. THE YANGUARD'S DEATH ROLL.

LONDON, July 16. Eight hundred and four people perished in the sinking of H.M.S Vanquard.

HYDERABAD'S AID IN THE WAR

HYDERABAD, July 16.

The British Resident, speaking at a banquet given by the Nizam, te ferred to the exalted part His Highness had played "in the war. mentioned that the Hyderabad Regiment was among the first of the Indian troops to leave for Egypt and they were still serving there. The State of Hyderabad, is still defraying the full expenses of this, and also of a second cavalry regiment, amounting altogether to three lakhs of Rupees monthly, which will be continued however long hostilities endure. Early in 1917. the Nizam telegraphed to the Admiralty £100,000 towards combat ing unrestricted submarine warfore, and last month he invested 75 lakha of Rupees in the Indian War Loan, apart from 381 lakhs of Rupees privately subscribed. The speaker paid a further tribute to the Nizam for the latter's appeal to the Mohammedans to stand; loyal to the King-Emperor, when Germany force Turkey to join her.

SINN FEINISM.

LONDON, July 16. Mr. L. Ginnell, M.P., the Independent Nationalist Member for Westmeath, told a Sinn Fein dem onstrution at Mulingar, that was retiring from Westminster to devote himself to Slap Feinsen Ireland

THE NEW GERMAN CHANCELLOR.

A MOST SURPRISING SELECTION.

Zeniene July 16. The Frankfurter Zeitung states that the appointment of Herr After a bombardment, a series of Michaelis is most surprising. His coups do main by the enemy between marne has never seriously been mentioned for such a high post. He is the first middle-class Chancellor and a Prussian in the best sense of the word. The paper says: " We do not know what sort of a statesman he will make; if he is to be a success he must co-operate with the Majority of the Reichstag including the Left

parties." The Manhaim Volkstimme, the leading Socialist organ in Baden, says that Herr Michaelis' insight into the economic distress of the people, as Food Controller, should preserve him from over-estimating the strength of Germany and pursuing a policy, beyond her strength. The paper promises the support of the Socialists of Herr Michaelis assailants, who suffered very heavy | co-operates with the United Majority losses, were unable to break into parties. The paper concludes by saying that. " Peace and freedom There was obstitute, fighting all must be the new Chancellor's pro-

> London, July 16. The few German comments, on the appointment of Herr Michaelis' appointment are, so fur, confusing. They confirm, however, the appreciation of the British newspapers that the new Chancellor is an known quantity. It remains to be shown whether he will prove a strong

man or a puppet. The Bediner Tageblatt complains that Herr Michaelis has been appointed without Parliament being

The Cologne. Valkereitung states that the German people, for two years, have wanted a strong man and Herr Michaelis is apparently a purposeful personality.

It is significant that the Tagglich Rundschau, the military organ, welcomes Herr Michaelis as the possessor of unusual energy like Field-Marshal von Hindenburg and General Ludendorf, while Theodore Wolff, writing in the Berliner Tagoblatt, prior to Dr. von Bethman-Hollweg's resignation, said that if Dr. von Bethman-Hollweg resigned it would mean the coming prominence of the Crown Prince, which was scarcely likely to increuse the possibilities of

There are no comments, so far, in the Austrian papers.

LONDON, July 16. A message from Berlin states that Herr Michaelis will also be Foreign Secretary.

REICHSTAG ADJOURNED.

AMSTERDAM, July 18. A message from Berlin states that the Reichstag has adjourned indef.

RUSSIAN FEDERAL REPUBLIC FORESHADOWED.

Keirr, July 16. M. Kerensky, Minister of War, addressing the representatives of the Ukraine pessants, foreshadowed the creation; of a Russian Federal Republic.

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MOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT HONGKONG, IS READY TO RECEIVE the trenches they had dug under shell- in the outposts near by. The enemy's fire, and went forward towards Gue- fire was intense, and he commanded this mappe. They were faced at once by blasts of machine-gun fire, and although our artillery harrage crashed across the doggedly outside the ruins of the farm HONGKONG, IS READY TO RECEIVE JULY, 1917.

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It is a great episode in the history of the Scottish troops in France.

OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a week, after an hour, of attack in the a week, after an hour, of attack in the first daylight of April 23. At that hour a long waves of Highland regiments left

field, some of the German strong points until, after five days, they were withwere still held in force.

At one about which I know most, there was a gap between the advancing waves a telegraph wire, but even so I hope it owing to the feeble light of dawn, in may reveal a little the stubborn courage which the men could only dimly see, but this was filled up by troops from the supporting lines. For nearly three hours the Scots were held up by the fire of the German machine guns and artillery, and suffered many casualties, but they fought on each little group of men acting with separate initiative, and it is to their great honour as soldiers that they destroyed every machine gun post in front of them.

One sergount fought his way down a bit of trench alone and, knocked out the gun crew, so that the line could advance. Two hundred prisoners were taken in that first forward sweep when the kilted men advanced in long lines and went through and beyond the village of Guemappe with loud shouts and cheers. They were checked again by machinegun fire from many different directions, and immediately from the ruin called Cavalry Farm ahead of them. This was afterwards cleared, and many Germans

lie dead there. HNEMY'S DESPERATE ATTACK.

Then, between eleven and twelve in the morning the enemy developed his fierce counter-attack. He massed large masses of men in the valley below Guemappe, flung a vast storm of shells on to the village, and then sent forward his troops to work round the spur on which the Highlanders held their It was then that these Scottish troops showed their fierce and stubborn fighting spirit. They tore rents in the lines o the advancing Bevarians with Lowis gun and rifle and grenade fire, and the enemy losses were severe, so that the supporting troops pressed over lines of dead comrades. mass of men, and the thin lines of Scots, exhausted by long hours of fighting, were forced to swing back, but we know that the first reports were wrong when it was said that the enemy retook Guemappe for a time. He never set foot in it again, though the Scottish line fell

Little groups of Highland officers and men refused to retreat. Some of them held the cemetery, and defended it against all attacks. An officer with seventy men remained in the north of the village for four hours, though they had no protection on either flank-

One officer and twelve men at another though the officers have been punished machine gun team, but brought up the Company.

gun himself and worked it with another LAST officer already wounded. Afterwards, to save ammunition, he sniped the enemy with their own rifles, which they had HOURS OF RACING.

FINE THOROUGHBRED SOLD FOR TWO GUINEAS.

by the enemy, and then fresh High-landers streamed round by the north of "The condemned man slept well." He the village, and the whole line of Highite a hearty breakfast, and walked to the land troops swept back the enemy. By that time the Bavarian troops had no gallows with a firm step. His last words more fight in them, and knew they were beaten. They retired in deep disorder. were:- Remember me kindly to Mr. Kennedy Jones.''' If you think of some such figure, or of

For a day and a half the Scots were able to rest a little, though always under the burghers of Calais going out to deliver the keys of the town with ropes round shell fire, but afterwards there was fierce patrol fighting round Cavalry Farm and their necks, you will have some idea of the frame of mind in which the people of Newmarket went out on the Heath on May 1st, says the "Daily Express," to see the first day's racing of the last Newmarket meeting during the war.

> It was a splendid summer day, but Newmarket was a town without a smile, or with a very wry amile at the best, and when, after the Two Thousand Guiness Trial Selling Plate, Minister Pall was sold for two guineas, the most stoical racegoer left inclined to take out his handkerchief and shed a bittor fear. A horse that might have fetched hundreds a week ago, knocked down-for the price of a sack of potatoes! It was tragic.

The Heath looked like a place of mourning, in spite of the jockeys' bright jackets, the modding cowslips among the grass, the philosophical smile of Mr. Bob Sievier, and the red parasol which, was carried by one of the ladies who visited the paddock. The enclosure was scarcely half filled, and there were very few

Tattersall's ring was almost as full as usual, with the usual crowd of benevolent some time ago, the Kasado-maru was selected as the first ship on the new line. gentlemen with kind faces and pockets full of notes and silver, which they were happy to hand out to anyone who was at Hongkong on her outward royage lucky enough to back the winner. But Captain Yamane and seven other officers their voices seemed less robust than usual, ent a telegram to the head office of the -and after this week their pleasant song Osaka Shosen Kaisha, asking for a wartime allowance equal to four months' of "Two to one, bur one!" will no more salary for the voyage on the ground of the submarine danger on the Bombay be heard in the land.

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from South America the Company ordered all the officers to leave the ship. On the other side of the course, the and after making inquiries into the townspeople from Newmarket and a small circumstances leading them to bring forward their demand, subjected them to company of strangers a few wounded the disciplinary punishment mentioned woldiers, a sailor or two on leave, and the needy and broken-down wayfarers who spot declined to leave during the retire- for their extraordinary behaviour, they always find their way to rececoursesment, and were found still holding out have also been rewarded for having out gave an air of funereal sadness to the when their comrades renewed their cessfully accomplished a difficult voyage.

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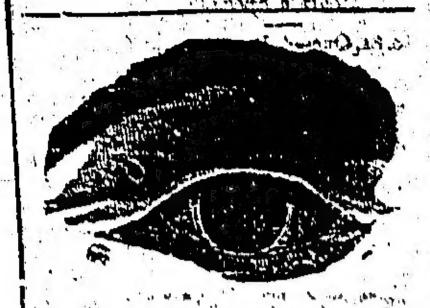
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"SCOTTISH LETTER."

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

SCOTS IN THE GOVERNMENT. time to wait for official rank, but his REVEREND CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTORS. subsequent, promotion has been These little tablets contain no dangerous who is Glasgow-born although he sits habit forming drugs and are entirely elements of which nature is depriving of his nearest relatives still live in or neare that city." Mr. Barnes' have been very close, and despite the

> direction of the war does not exhaust Glasgow's interest in the Cabinet, the authorities were tied by the Mr. Bonhr" Law, although Canadian, is a Glasgow man in his friars, and Mr. Bonar Law had after. Folkestone. wards to take before in England. that election was a triumph for Labour over Capital. But it left no

and of the whole Empire. YEATS ON RELAND AND INDIA That very precious Irish poet W. B. Yeats, was in Edinburgh last week end, lecturing on " Some Poets of my Generation." He attained quite a success in certain circles, especially those affected by the lady teachers of our private schools. number of Indian students also gathered round him, and afterwards entertained him in the Edinburgh Indian Association Club. He made short speech to his mirrors in the land. which he said we were about to see the effect of India on Europe much in the same way as the effect of Greece on Rome. Yeuts is a sort of mystic, and it was understood that mysticisin. Ireland, he added, had great sympathy for India, and India and Ireland, had many things if common in their spiritual achieve- burgh.

It was not really a lecture that Years delivered, it was rather a chat Back to the brant of the same old about a group of young poets, Lionel Johnson, John Davidson, and the like -who founded the post Tennyson Buck to the whine of the Boche school of poetry about a quarter of a century ago. He read extracts from the works of his late colleagues, he is the sole survivor upon to read some of his own verse, much to the delight of his admiring undience. One could not help speculating what the lady teachers, who had brought out rows of girl pupils to hear a real live poet. thought of the performance. " He breaks all the canons of the ordinary



low, deep sing-song voice, sometimes It sounds as if he were praying, and he makes many gestures with a tossing hand and twitching fingers. His raven locks are turning grey and are closely cropped. Evidently the long-Mr. George N. Barnes had a long | haired poet has gone out of fashion.

A debate on the Freidland reprisal' rapid. One of the least talkative of raid created something of a sensation Labour members, about seven years in the United Free Assembly. The there is a notice board on which the ago he resigned his position as secre. Rev. Professor Forrest, of Glasgow, tary of the Amalgamated Society of condemned a raid whigh, he declared, Engineers when the members refused had for its direct object " the killing The usual condition is, " pulpit supto accept his advice u courageous of civilians." Shouts of "No. no. act characteristic" of the man. He did not deter him from calling the manse." This week there was a the grueling strain. Wonderfully represents the Blackfriars and effective results are given in such conditions by the simple use of Sargol Tablets, a skillful combination of six of the best nerve and strength vitalizing elements known to modern chemistry. He follows Mr. Arthur Henderson, The public galleries the views of Dr. the Assembly by a speaker who was Forcest and those who supported him | deploring the fall in the birth-rate; were strongly objected to. One the members of the Assembly are patriarchal Northern elder afterwards usually addressed as . .: Fathers and tackled his minister outside and said brethren, but this speaker began and Uso. that the attitude of many of the Brethren, and I not to call you representatives of the cloth towards | fathers? " ... Germany was " not only Utopian but illogical. " A little crowd gathered gentleman, in a strong appeal for round as the imte elder held forth, support for Hut work, asked for " a arguing that if reprisals were object. supply of note-paper to keep "the fact that politically he is not quite "ed to, the war itself should be con- home fires burning." Of course he in sympathy with Glasgow" feeling. demned, for it could not be defended | did not mean it that way, his elo-Glasgow is not a little proud of him." from the point of view of those quence carried him away. The association of Mr. Barnes and ministers who "fretted about de-Mr. Henderson with the supreme tails. His parting shot was: - It poetry about Mr. Asquith. But Mr. would be disastrous if the hands of

> reverend conscientions objectors." By a curious coincidence, at the blood and in his bones. At an elec- very moment the Assembly was distion in bygone days Mr. Barnes Leussing reprisals German heroplanes defeated Mr. Bonar Law in Black- were making their marderous raid on

CHINA'S GREAT FUTURE. On the Foreign Missions Day of the bitterness bolind it. Probably none United. Free Church, ashe principal more trankly admit that the mem- speaker was the Rev. George Eangher for Blackfrians will be a last Manchuria. He described the greater power in the innermost magnitude of the work in the Far VALUABLE LEASEROLD circles of the Cabinet tharf his East, where, he said, a glad, new day For further particulars and conditions PROPERTY situate at The Peak! whilene opponent, the member for had dawned think had begun to Hongkong, and being Rural Building Bootle. The two men are real live move with irresistible force, and representatives of Labour and where Japan was in the comity of Capital, Mr. Barnes is a Socialist, nations to-day, Chira would be tobut a same Socialist; anxious to re- morrow, with manifold greater force, form the world on the lines of his not sommuch because of her colorsel particular philosophy; but at the proportions or because of her indomitsame time he takes the world as he able staining, but because of the finds it, and makes the best of things forces that had brought that mighty 1777 Land Office as Rural Building Lot, No. pending the arrival of the inillen- movement about. That hever was nium. Mr. Bonar Law, on the other the preaching of the Gospel. Their hand, is above all a business man, descendants 100 years, heffee, looking ready at any time to do a fair deal; back, would regard the Revolution in but a business man who demands Russia as secondary incomportance practical results in the immediate or and hir-reaching effects fo the revolunear future, that will have as their tion that took place in Chinasix years and and aim the stability of Britain ago. One heard about a greater conflict between East and West after this wur was over. China hated war, and China would ere long be in position, even commercially, to pre-

vent it. The fear of the "Yellow" Peril coming from the Far East was only a figurent of the Kniser's brain. The main significance of the revolution in Chira was this and it. was admitted by the leaders of the revolution who brought it about-that it was mainly due to the steady working of the leaven of Christianity in

At "West Coates Parish Church" Edinburgh, Sec.-Lieut, James Scott Webster, R.E., only son of the Rev. James Webster, Manchuria, and he referred to some sort of Indian Mrs. Webster, 5 Belgrave Road, Corstorphine, to Eileen Mary, youngest daughter of Mr. und Mrs. John Brown, 8, Coltbridge Terrace, Edin-

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> An eyes too bleured to see. " Down in the glude neath the fir-

trees shude. Under the vust blue tent, Free in their rest lie most of the Strong lives gladly lent. Back to the faith that the turning-

Of the God that made us men, May shape us right for the far-flung

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MISCELLANEA.

In an interview in which reference was mudn to the present boom in poetry, Mr. John Murray the publisher, speaks of Ballady of Battle.

by Sergeant Joseph Dec, Black Watch, a well known Dundee jourmalist. Mr. Murray does not regard Lee's poems as " great poetry, but as verse full of action, alive with the spirit of sincerity." Lee is at prosent training for a commission.

By the way, William R. Tovani is understood " to be a nom de plume of another Black Watch man. ..."

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WHO'S WROAN THE CASCALTIES. Sec.-Lieut, Charles, Wilson, Gordons (killed), came house from Ching with the Second Volunteer Contingent, eilisted as a private, received this commission in the spring of 1915, mailing expense. and had been twice wounded. He was 23 years of age, and prior to the

war was at Shanghai. Theodore Ross Anderson (killed) was the son of Dr. John A. Anderson, China Inland Mission, Taicheo,

Lieut, David E. Dow, Senforths (died of wounds), was the son of Mr. Peter Doy, headmaster of West End School, Elgip. After serving Wis apprenticeship in the Bank of Scotland, Elgin, he entered the London Branch of the Hongkong and Shanghat Banking Corporation, and was on | the point of going abroad in the service of his bank when he joined the

local battalion in his native town. "The Very Rev. Dr. Brown, Bellahouston, Glasgow, ex-Moderator of the Church of Scothind, has received official notice that his youngest son George James Rankine Brown, Seer-Lieut, Black Watch, has died of wounds. Dr. Brown has thus lost three som; the others were, Sec .-Lieut. Harold H. Brown, Gordons: and Captain J. R. Brown, Highland Light Infantry, a Fellow and Leeurer of Pembroke College, Oxford. Sec.-Lieut. G. J. B. Brown; whose death is now announced, was in the service of the Burma Oil Con Glas-

Captain the Hon. Michael Lyon, Royal Scots, son of Lord and Lady Strathmere, of Glamis, who was reported missing, is now known to

he a prisoner. Lieut-Patrick Brooke, R.N., is the third son of Captain Brooke of Fairley, Aberdeenshire, who has died in the course of the war. The others were Captain Otho Brooke, Gordons, who received the posthumous award of the Victoria Cross for remarkable bravery and coolness of judgment at Ypres, and Captain H. Brian Brooke, Gordons, killed while leading his company at the capture of Mametz; while a scu-in-law. Captain C Napier Gordon Cameron, Camerons, was also killed in action.

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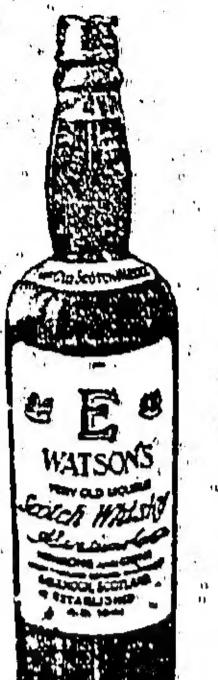
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THERE was from the first a suspicion

that German intrigue" lay at the

bottom of the "recent troubles in

China, and the evidence is now fast

accumulating. Few foreigners know

what is going on in China under the

surface of things better than the

Japanese, and when Baron Morono.

the Japanese Minister of Foreign

Affairs, declared in the Diet three, weeks

ago, that he hoped China would soon

solve her internal difficulties and

declare war against Germany, "thus

putting an end to German in

unsettled state of China is due,

one felt convinced that the Minister

was not making a statement which

was merely suppositious. Some

light was thrown on this statement

when the cubies informed us that

the defeated leader of a hopeless

cause had sought sanctuary in the

Dutch Legation and that his family

had gone to the Austrian Legution.

The Dutch Legation is at present in

charge of German interests in China.

Quite a lot of information is now

from the N. C. Daily News in

the Germans have been skilfully

group in the effort to produce

defeat the advocates of war against

Germany. Money would seem to

have been spent freely in the effort;

but by this time the Germans probably

financial agent in Peking, bue been

a, state of chaos as to

out about the

trigues, to which much of

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THURSDAY, July 26 :--Land Investment Co's. Dividend due. West" Point Building Co's. Dividend

FRIDAY, July 27 :-Settlement Day: Hongkong Stock Exchange.

BATURDAY, July 28:-Russian Internal Liberty Loan closes. TURADAY, July 31 :--

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> THE CHINASMAIL

Typhoon Map and Guide German." The little piece of news, of the English Church, Hou. Secretary

Harn on the restoration of the Monarchy strengthens the indictment against the Germans. We cannot doubt that the allegations which have been made ugainst the Germans will be the subject of most searching investigations by the Government of China at the earliest possible by telegraph, with a view to date, and, once the charges are established, we can be certain there will be little delay on the part of the Chinese Government in taking the necessary action which will put an end to any further intrigues of the kind by Germans in China. "

NEWS OF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

The Oriental Hotel, Ltd., of Kobe, has gone into voluntary liquidation.

A Poking telegram states that Wong Shun, the Chief of the Canton Police, has been allowed to resign and fellim .- On July 7, at Shanghai, to that Ngai Fong Ping has been appoint-Mrs and Mrs. A. J. Shkingar a ed in his place.

Specie Bunk. w Mr. J. & R. Wood this morning sentenced a Chinese coolie to one month's hard labour on the charge of stealing two kerosene tins from the from office and will be sent to Peking Indian Military Barracks in Austin to be dealt with according to law. Dow, - Killed in action in France on l Road, Kowloon.

late of Hongkong and Shanghai The Directors of the Shanghai Banking Corporation, London Satt. Water-works Co., Ld., have declared an interim dividend of £1 per share in JACK .- On July 11, at Shanghai, JOHN BURNET JACK, Chinese Maritime respect of the year 1917, payable in Shanghai at the exchange of 3/104 per

> Wiseman's Cafe, has reported to the were closed and guarded, the authorities Police that someone yesterday entered fearing a repetition of the locting. his residence at No. 2 "Basilia," Lyttleton Road, and stole jewellery to the total value of \$555. Mr. Goodall suspects his house"boy of the theft, as the servant has disappeared! >

. An case which has been occupying the Japanese Court at Yokohama and Mrs. M. Ismes has been investi- three months pay. gated, has ended in the dismissal

Henry V., Larstenson, a ship's officer, has reported to the Police that, between 6.30 and 7.30 p.m. on the 13th instant, whilst he was riding in 'a rickshaw in Connaught "Road West, near the To Yuen Restourant, w was attacked by six ruen who Aperturged his rickshow and threw my too the ground. After stealing a watch and chain, valued at \$25 and his wallet, which contained \$27 20 krowner and his passports and discharge papers, the robbers made good their escape.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

The engagement is announced, and the werlding will shortly take place, between Captain Francis Lowless, Liverpool Regiment, youngest son o con- Major Lawless, Mossley Hill, to Hilda ection of Germans with the recent Graham, eldest daughter of Mr. and disturbances. A connected story is Mrs. A. G. Gordon of Hongkong. given in the extract we reproduce

Lieut.-Commander Basil J. D. Guy, another column. It suggests that R. N., who won the V.C. in China as a coolness and bravery during the attack has been formed." influencing more than one political awarded the D.S.O. for services in the

The death occurred at Yokohama on July 7, of Mr. R. F. Inmen, of Messrs. Holme, Ringer and Co., of Nagasaki. badly and have only succeeded in making a trip to San Francisco with REUTER'S Correspondent at Peking June 27, but Mr. Inman was then Noon. Auction of "Lisholt," 164 reports that the Chinese are very angry so weak that he had to about the Austro German activities carried on board the steamer. in connection with the Monarchy Yokohama the doctors recommended and the recent disturbances, and says his removal to the General Hospitals where he passed away: Mr. Inman is stated that it can be underiably was a native of England and had resided at Nagasaki nearly twenty years, for the last fifteen being on the staff of also says that the Dutch are criticised Mess's. Holme, Ringer and Co. Early in 1913 he married, at Nagasaki, Miss CHARG Haus, who was rescued by a Dow, daughter of former English

of Britons Overseas, and the senior P. M.

too, that Herr Corpes, the German Cana Treasurer of the Patriotic League

o littously congretolated Chang interest in Ill local affairs.

PEKING. PERING, July 16 The Premier, Tuen Chir Jui, and

THE PEKING DEBACLE. against Germany; have arrived. (The "Chinese Mail's" Service.)

The Acting President, General Fengperbances. It is stated that it ca Kuo Chang, consulted with Tuan Ki Sui undeniably be proved that Chang The Dutch are also criticised months. Tuan Ki Sui agreed to this their connection with the escape Chang Haun, who was rescued by The latter had a lengthy conversation

General Fong Kuo Changtelegraphed PRESIDENT LI YUAN HUNG. HOW HE WENT TO THE JAPANESE Tuan Ki Sui assumes office in the

Daily Neces writes from Peking :-There has been considerable controversy as to how President Li Yuan Hung happened to go to the Japanese that this was pre-arranged by General stone Square; and, although it was found Aoki, the Japanese Military Adviser to The headquarters in Tientsin and Feking, for precautionary measures, the President. Admiral Tsai Ting-kan impossible to establish a Hongkong 2,600 men, who fought at the Temple and food, and at the time of his flight the aviators side of the war has occas-Chang Haun's soldiers, numbering Later he became ill through loss of sleep

delay in gaining admittance, and as the Fing Lun Kwok, Chang Chen Fong party feared pursuit, they fled on down Legation street. The Japanese-speakand Loi Jan Chuen have been dismissed ing officer with well known at the of support given to St. Dunstan's Japanese Legation and suggested taking refuge there. President Li agreed and

The Government will issue a mandate cancelling the restoration of the Manchu Court and the Restoration Edict 'Chu Sai Chong strongly advocated retaining the favourable treatment lars, and are worse than useless-they are a menace and a disgrace to th

conditions. LOOTING AND BURNING.

SHANGHAI, July 16. Chang Hsun's soldiers looted and burned in the southern suburbs of Mr. Donald Goodall, manager of Chuchowfu, on July 12. The gates Hoichow has also been looted and ruined

The fire at Nanchitse, in Peking, where Chang Haun's house is located has not yet been extinguished. The Republican soldiers are fighting the conflagration.

Ten battalions (1) of Chang Haun's soldiers are being sent away by train to for some time past in which a charge the vicinity of Tsinanfu. They will be Chinese and foreign eyes. Apart from take time to establish, must necessarily be left for later effort. On this brought against off. W. J. Davies discharged there; after being given blind German diplomacy. Staking his principle the Prisoners of War Fund

Chang Ham's soldiers and handed over southern revolutionaries. to the Republican Army. ...

Cho Yu Lum entered Peking on July 12, as Tuan Ki Sui's delegate. He interviewed the Dutch Minister to discuss how best to hand over Chang Haun. Nothing definite has been agreed upon. The delegate also visited the other Ministers and 'expressed regret, behalf of the Government, for the pre-

sent misfortune. politics again.

The mutiny in Hoichow has been

LATER. Liang Tun Firi has sought refuge in the Dutch Legation. Kang Yau Wei is still hiding in certain Legation

[Kang Yu Wei is reported in a Shanghai paper to have arrived there last week.-Ep.

Chang Hsun will be treated as an escaped offender and will be ignored. Tuan Ki Sui will not decide what action is to be taken with regard to and three dead bodies from dehris. midshipman of the Harfeur for great the Manchu Court until the Cabinet Later in the day two more victims of

Tong Fi Lung will be appointed President of the Provisional Senate Linng Kai Chiu has refused the portfolio of Minister of Finance and Tien Mun Lik will be appointed to that Ministry.

realise that they have blundered On medical advice, Mr. Inman, was Minister of Foreign Affairs, accept ing Wang Shi Chen's resignation strengthening public opinion in China Mrs. Imman and their daughter. They from the Ministry of War, d.d in favour of a declaration of war. left Nagasaki on the Shinyo Maru on appointing Tuan Ki Sui to that

> be Also Lau Kun Hung is appointed Minister of the Navy and Admiral So Chen Ping, Naval Inspector. A mandate also deprives Lui Chen

Chun and Chang Chin Fong and others of their titles, and hands them over to the Court for trial, for disloyalty to the Republic.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail. foreigner, probably Austrian or residents of Shanghai He was chair LAUSTRO-GERMAN ACTIVITIES A

playing the role of diplomat, and of Lodge Nagaski and took a keen it number if prospective Cabinet Members, including Liang Chi Chao

who is a strong advocate of war

The Chinese are most angry at the Austrian and German activities in connection with the restoration of the monarchy and the recent dis-Hsun was bought by the Germans foreigner, probably an Austrian or

LEGATION.

A Special Correspondent of the 'N. C.

Ki Sui borrowed from the Yokohama spoke Japanese. When they arrived at likely to become greater still " the French hospital, there was much

> they drove up to the barracks entruoce and asked for protection.
>
> Admiral Tsui says that Chang Haun's. "gume is up." He believes that his suptsin-Pukow railway, and facilicate ad- render his ministration throughout, northeastern the blind. China. His troops cost six million dol-

GERMAN COMPLIMENTS FOR CHANG HSUN.

A correspondent of the N. C. Daily News writing from Peking on the oth

n extending Germany's congratulations to the new Government. Herr Cordes deportation on the ground that he is not allocations has been to cover as wide a ness man. His action in dealing directly field of work with the least possible Soldiers and Sailors Help government's interest in China on such

THE COLLAPSE IN CAINE ROAD

SIX FATALITIES.

The final reports are now avdilable concerning yesterday's disaster in Caine Road in which the north retaining wall of St. Joseph's College play-ground collapsed, as a result of Sunday's storm, Li Yuan Hung has sent out a circular and crashed down on the rear of Nos telegram stating that he is leaving for 10 and 12 Caine Road, tearing the servants' quarters from the main buildings recuperate, and that he will not take up and burying them beneath tons of earth. Corporation (which deals with widows, and stone When the retaining wall gave away,

shortly before 11 a.m. yesterday, thirteen persons, who were having their tiffin meal at the rear of the first floor of No 12 Cains Road, were caught in the avalanche and entombed in the ruins. Within an hour after the arrival of the Fire Brigade members the Police Force, Public Works Department and Sanitary Department who were immediately summoned to the scene of the accident, the rescuers had extricated seven injured persons the disaster were rescued from beneath the ruins and one more dead body recovered. All thirteen believed have been victims of the accident were then accounted for. Of the nine persons, extricated from the debris and removed to the Government sustained. This makes a total of six as result of the disaster.

merits the highest commendation/ The rescuers, consisting largely of the Police force, in their capacity as members of the Fire Brigade, worked heroically all day in driving min and neder perilous conditions at the laborious task of removing debris, order to extricate those who were buried beneath it, and that seven these persons are still alive is due their untiring efforts.

cheques, totaling \$3,134, and instructed kong is likely very soon to be exhausted. him to cash them at the back. The The call of £200 o month on the perhaps are a life or at least a doctor's assertant crahed the cheques but sailed London balance for the Royal Figing bill. For sale by all Chemist and Store to return to his master with the money Compa Hoppital will exitate it in some keepers he received at the bank

WAR CHARITIES.

(To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL")

total expenditure of the War Charities response to be made to the sppeal. Committee to the 30th June-in concise. form. Every item of the expenditure out of the Colony has involved considerfor able correspondence between our representatives in London, and the representatives of the charitable objects which we assisted and very appreciative letters of thanks have been received in all cases. The volume of the correspondence makes it impossible to print it in extenso : but any available information will be given on application either by letter or in person, to the Hon. Secretary.

The one standing charge that the Fund has to meet is the guaranteed subscription of £200 a month to the Legation. In some quarters it is said Royal Flying Corps Hospital, Bryanstated in an interview today that this branch of this Flospital, it is still Royal Flying Corps Hospital 3,400). O. C. President on Sunday and advised his proposed to increase this subscription Y.M.C.A. Hat Fund... ... 3,004. 9. 7 flight to the American Legation. President Li agreed to follow this adviced the funds permit, The development of Poils of Star and Garter decided to enter the French hospital. joned calls in this direction which could of Heaven," were induced to surrender He was accompanied by two officers not have been foreseen; and which are by a payment of \$80,000, which Tuan in a motor car. One of these officers

Among the large objects for the grant of funds the Committee has no hesitation in thinking that the measure | British and Foreign Sailors Hostel meets with the general approval Minesweepers' bund ... of the subscribers: and it is pleasant to hear from Dr. Harston, who visited the Hostel, that Sir Arthur Pearson spoke in very appreciative terms of the The Blue Cross Fund ... pression will greatly benefit the Tien- assistance Hongkong had been able to Church Army Fund render him in his-great work among Solliers' and Sailors' Fami-

The expenditure connected with the Star and Garter Hospital is "completed with the building equipment and endowment of a room, the funds required for the whole Institution having now been fully subscribed. £3,000 has been subscribed by the

Colody for the building of six Y.M.C.A. huts. The money for the first hut and part of the second was collected through An interesting phase of the Imperial the initiative of the "Daily Press"; the movement is the part which Herr Cordes, balance has been made up from earmanager of the German Bank, has taken marked subscriptions and the general

Speaking generally the principle that

with the Chinese Imperial Government; delay : immediate relief must be brought in the name of Germany, serves, however, to those in present need, while the Indian coldiers Fund Subto dx his status pretty definitely in both more permanent arrangements, which Marn Sung Sik, Chang Haun's an apparently feeble cause he has taken has been largely assisted the War the very step which will alienate all Charities are now completely supporting the case, the defendants being adviser, who most ardently advocated a classes in China and will bring upon some (115)—prisoners through the Shipwrecked Mariners Fund The Officers Families Fund to derive less assistance from the National Relief Fund than other objects of the same nature and to be in very pressing need Subscriptions were therefore made to it; while the large balance in the hands of the National Reliaf Fund (to which Hongkong had made substantial subscriptions under the title of the Prince of Wales Fund) made it unnecessary to assist those objects which more immediately participated in its benefits : such as the Soldiers & Sailors Families Association, Soldiers & Sailors Help Society and the Royal Patriotic Fund

> orphans and other dependants of Soldiers & Seilors who have died during the war) The English Red Cross Fund has been left to depend largely on the proceeds of "Our Day", except for earmarked sums : but subscriptions have been made to the Red Cross and Hospital Funds ofour Allies and the Blue Cross has not

been forgotten. No opportunity has been lost doing what could be done for Naval Charities and the Dreadnought Hospital-which Earl of Lonsdale Charing deals with many men from the Mercantile Marine and the Mine-sweeping Floet was substantially assisted. Barnardo's Homes, an institution of permament value has had much extra work thrown on it in consequence of the war, and has well deserved the

support it received In all these large matters, Committee worked in close touch with their London representatives : but it was felt that there were many smaller charities of which it would be difficult without delay to procure the necessary detail here, which subscribers would not like to have overlooked. It was therefore decided to remit sums from time Presidential mandates have been Civil Hospital two died in hospital to time to London for distribution at issued appointing Wang Tai Shit, whilst under treatment for injuries among what might be called the Total amount expended to smaller charities": £3,500 has been fatalities and seven persons injured as so remitted in all from time, and covers most of the smaller subscriptions to the less prominent objects in the list. The The strenuous work of the rescue Committee are satisfied that this parties throughout the day yesterday method and the selection as made in Total subscriptions to 30 London will meet with the full approval. Jane 1911 of the subscribers.

While so much money has been spent out of the Colony, it has not been forgotten that the local requirements must have first call upon the resources. The excellent work of the local working parties has been financed; and opportunities have been taken to support Entertainment Funds and Regimental Funds of several kinds: while cases connected with local men who have gone to the Front have had special consider-A Chinese shop keeper has report stion when brought to notice. entrusted his shop assistant with eight balance in hand in London and Hong-

chies manths, and the outstadings

claims against the local balance—such as bills for working party material will reduce it to very small dimensions. Another effort is therefore called for: and the Committee are confident that Sir, The Hon. Treasurer's state the position has only to be put before ment, which is sent herewith, shows the the" Hongkong "public for a fitting,

Yours faithfully, E.R. HALLIFAX

Hou. Secretary, War Charities Committee.

Hongkong, July 16, 1917.

Amounts remitted to various Associations up to 30th June 1917, including the results of "Our Day" and "St. George's Duy!

DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS.

British Red Cross Cociety and the Order of St. John of Jerusalem ... 28,207.14. 1 Blinded Soldiers and "ailors" Care Committee ... 4477. 1. 5 Central Prisoners of War

Officers Families Fund 3,981.18. 3 French Red Cross

Dreadmought Plespital ... 2,000. 0., 0 Lord' Roberts' Memorial Workshop 1,525. 0. 0 Dr. Barnardo's Homes Relief in Northern France 1,000, 0, 0 Society National Committee

Hospital Auxillaire 113 Honlies Association... Royal Patriotic Fund Cor-Queen Mary Royal Naval Imperial Association for assisting disabled Military and Naval Officerson. 200. 0. 0 Education of Officers' Chil-200; 0; 0 Rugby War Memorial... Ar thusa Training Ship

2_0: 0. O Sailore Memorial Fund Lord Kitchener National 184.19. Memorial Fund Scottish Womens Hospital (for Foreign Service) ... Ladies Emergency mittee of the Navy League Russian Prisoners of War Committee ...

.100. 0. 0 County of London War Martouret Bospital (Fonds-Recuperative Hospital for nerve shock soldiers ...

Relgian Frisoners of War Montenegrin Red Cross Polish Victims' Relief Fund Syrian v Palestine Relief Marylebone Hospital Supply

Lord Mayor Treloar Crip-50. 0. 0 ples Hospital and College The Childrens Aid Com-50. 0. 0 Fund for assisting friendless prisoners of war in

28.13. 3 Soldiers Club Association. Peterhead Minesweeper & Patrol Flotilla Fund Newspapers for the Fleet 20, 0, 0 Royal Soldiers Daughters 20. 0. 0 Lady Lugard Hospitality 10. 0. 0 Lady Roberts Field Glass 7.12. 3

Catholic Woman League --£44,581.17. 2.

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5.339.77

The equivalent of the above amount is The Sub-Committee have expended on materials for the local working parties. Various sums have been disbursed locally for supplementing pensions, entertainments, tobacco &c. for the troops, amount

Cross Hospital ...

The expenses of the fund, including cables, advertising, discounts & sundries

20th June \$ 454,180.87 Balance of account in London £680.14.3 Balance of secount in Hong-

N. J. STABB,

VV with a bottle of Chamberlein's Colice Cholera and Diarrhoes Hemedy st. this season of the year, you are neglecting them, as bowel complaint is sure to be prevalent, and it is too dangerous a ed to the Police that yesterday he ... It remains only to point out that the malady to be triffed with. This is

DON'T NEGLECT YOUR FAMILY HEN you fail to provide your family

TELEGRAMS.

(Continued from Page T.)

THE ROYAL VISIT TO THE FRONT.

THE KING'S EXPERIENCES.

Losbon, July 15.

Renter's Correspondent at Headquarters reports that the King and Queen crossed to France on the 3rd inst. The Prince of Wades was among those who redeived them.

Queen Mary, proceedigd on autour of the hospital's while the King began his tour on this atth by visiting Messines Ridge. His Majesty climbed the Slopes while German, shells were dashing and crumping upon the tother side. " Flo was heartly Breeted by the British and Dominion troops. Accompanied by the Prince of Wafes, the King walked from Vierstrant to the Ridge and laited upon the threshold of the battle ground of month higo. He then missed through the seems of disolation, with numerable craters strewn over with broken riffes, unexploded greandes. beline's, Encyclotiers and gruesome objects which did not invite closer inspection. The seems affected the King visibly. "Away northwards a front, conterred the honour of C.C. B. Cleanan bartory was shelling an overspoon" Clenegal Petain, and that tof. head cheins and " Archies " were ! searching the theoretic for our air men. General Planer, acting guide, took the King to the old ther. town train time The King paused, Locuspect a reincar Chatean request, to a mound of reddish dust. steeped singer the entrance, obwrecked diagout and saw, with an selectric torch, how the Germanis were disturbed at their med by historic explosions, "Then he stood for several minutes silently beside a gigantit, mine terater. Meanwhile

ar the sides, with a solitary chair and plank beliefes; thence, viacum electrielit followed, to the shell-prom observers' posts, on the Hidge, where he got a view of the plain of Flanders and the adjoining valleys. Returning, the King met a group, of Divisional Connerals, Connulanders and others who had contributed the victory at Messines, west what well drawn up on the less side of . appropriate dwelling. The vertous torenform constimued to work art he. creaking manufe a few yards away while the King topked with the officers. Subsequently, His Majesty. visited the miniatrice Wytschaet. bagdefield where the guttack was Tighearsed for weeks he forebuild, after

the Germans were shelling the crest

near Wytschnote, just or thousand

ands from the King. Thereafter,

dd German defences. He was con-

confirming at rough wooden, car open

which he involved in the old-world Anzage troops limed three sides of othe market surface, the Cores Commander, with his Staff and the Promier of New South Wales, being presented The King chatted with them and subsequently drove off amid outbursts of the Australian "cooce." & His Mafesty motored from there through fields and yill lages alive with Australians and New Zealanders. They came busting through the hedges and flocked on fences and swarmed up trees to give a throaty welcome to His

On" the second day, the King leuched with the King of Belgium at the latter's villa on the coust, He visited naval and military aerodromes and drove through camps of vociferous Belgians: At the aerodromes, the King was most interested in the prodigal exhibitions of freak flying, machines tumbling about like a variety knockabout turn. chatted with a batch of Naval Volunteer Reserves, just back from successful raid. Throughout the day, airmen overhead accompanied the King, keeping the sky clear of foes." The King visited an establishment on July 6, where he witnessed and then watched a practice batile in which the features included horsea creeping barrage, behind whom The drummers were preceded by their pace by the horsemen. The troops dashed headlong at the parapet of the trenches with lowered hayonets. They swept over the treiches capturing Tommies repre-

lace he had visited earlier

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

THE BRITISH FRONT.

ARTHLERY AND AERIAL ACTIVITY.

London, July 15. Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig reports : --

Phyre has been "reciprocal artillery netivity in the neighbourhoods of Armentieres. Wxtschnete and

Our heroplanes on Friday, night bombed four important railway stations and a large German rest champ. They also bombed an aero-drome and an augminition dump on Saturday, alespite thunder-storms. drome and in augminition dump on Saturday, wiespite thunder-storms.

We brought down three Cherman machines and drove down two, . Five of ours are missing.

THE FRENCH FRONT.

ABTILLERY, STACKENS.

I LONDON, July 15. A French community savs: The artillery struggle has shickened west of Cerny and in Champagne. We organised positions captured has night north of Mouthaut and Toton.

KING DECORATES FRENCH GENERALS.

Paris, July 15. "The King, during his visit to the G.C.M.G. on General Frangher

Losnos, July 15, Field-Marshab, Sir. Douglas H. ig. China. lass becom appointed a Knight of the

The followings extracts from a Leslie loss gives news of several Hongkong men-who have gone Home to " join up " :---

his Majesty spont on hour in the " After terrific waiting about the War veyed along a marrow grage railway (Office, and two more strenuous medicali by a dwarf engine, the Boyal sulcony Horse Transport, Army Service Corps.

> the Cadet Corps, H.G.Al., for the heavy guns, etc., and the starts training at Maresfield, Hants, on June 6th.

" Warkins and Cheeseman have joined the H.A.C. as privates, with hopes of a Under Come later. Anderson, of the P.W.D., joined King Edward's, Horse, and Flykis, of the Observatory," the Boyal Engineers, as a sort of surveyor.

" Don't know anything of the others." except Laboard vaguely that Farebrother Muson was trying for the Royal Naval

CHINA INLAND MISSION.

The report of the Chine Inland lission for 1916, presented at the annual meeting London, states : - When last year opened the total number of workers connected with the Mission-members and associates—was the highest in the Mission's history. During the however, there was a net loss of cighteen workers, the 'small reinforcements not being equal to the deaths and the alto gether unprecedented number of retire ments. It is not possible to report the tota income of the Mission from all sources because, by reason of the war, a considerable portion of the Associates' funds not passed through the books at all. # It should perhaps be stated, to remove any possible misunderstanding is certain quarters, that all of the Associate Missions are independent in the matter of finance, though their funds have, under normal conditions, generally passed throhugh our books in the course of transmission During the year under review celled. Herr Knipping would have been no moneys of the Liebernell Mission have in a position to go up to Peking at once been transmitted byour but have been forwarded direct from Germany to their the art of deception carried to amaz- workers in China, so that the summary plot failed, there was still 16 lakhs in moving W.N.W. or N.W. ing lengths, including disuppearing of income is not, and cannot be; complete. With this qualification the income of the trickery which is specialised in here. Mission was 204,908. This sum is 27,110 He inspected workers employed in 18s. in savance of the previous year. disguising snipers as holly bushes Only three times before has the Mission's income exceeded £90,000. The year 1916 was marked by the celebration of several notable anniversaries. It included the men slowly advancing, representing Jubiles of Mr. J. W. Stevenson's errival in China the Jubilee of the Lammerdrummers were realistically ratablan" mair party's entry into Hangchow. ning an imitation bombardment, and the fortieth anniversary of Pastor Ren's ministry in the same city. It also saw the 25th anniversary of the hundreds of laden soldiers guiding Scandinavian Alliance Mission's association with the C.I.M., their first party of 35 workers the largest party to arrive in Chius up to that date having landed at Shanghai in February, 1891, while the second band of 15 more followed only a fortnight later. Probably the most senting Germans, holding up their significant feature of the work in Chica

education. Church government and self-support, &c., were reached.

THE GERMAN PLOT IN

TO KEEP THE COUNTRY 'N CHAOS.

35 LAKES PAID BY GERMAN-

A recent telegram told us that the N. C. Daily News had published an article rescaling tillst German intrigue was at the bottom of the recent crisis in China. Our readers will be interested in the following portion of the article taken from our contemporary's issue of June

German interference in Chinese and valuably co-operated with the rapidity with which, at the last, this policy, was decided upon seems to have taken the Germans unawares, and the best that they could do on the spur of of the moment was to promise a reward (there is reason for believing the exact sum promised to have been \$2,000 apiece) to every member of Farliament who yourd against the breaking off of relations. This attempt to bribe Parliament became known to the authorities; who defeated it by announcing that, as the matter was one of great importance, the numes of voters would not on this occasion be published. Consequently those who were ready to accept German bribes had no groof of any action on their part to give in return for the

> Very shortly, however, after this, became known in Shanghai that the Ferman Bank in Peking was drawing argely on the German Bank in Shanghai hrough various Chinese banking institutions. Altogether a sum of 10 lakhs of tacks was thus collected by the Germun Bunk in Peking, and it is known that the money did not remain in the bank's coffers. It is something more han a coincidence that simultaneously with these mayments from the German lank in leking, certain sections Parliament which had previously agreed in supporting Tuan Chi-jui on March In o the breach with Germany, suddenly began to discover that Tuan was plotting to establish a military autocracy in

We need not go over the distressing history of these weary weeks which culminated on May 10 in the hiring of roughs to intimidate Parliament, and the fatuous allegations put about that HONGKONG MEN FOR THE FRONT, action, than which, of course nothing could have been more fatal for the policy of war with Germany which he advorated. Subsequently it was discovered letter received to-day sefrom Mr. | this at least three of the ringleaders were members of the Knomintag, and we shall probably not be far wrong in assuming that the trick was paid for, if

not actually suggested, by Germany. PAYMESTS IN SHANGHAL On May 23 the German agents among the Knomintang succeeded in bringing examinations. I start training in the about the dismissal of General Tunn. Officers' Cadet Unit at Aldershot next They had, however, counted without Friday, June 1st. If am going into the Tuchans, whose uncompromising protest led eventually to the dissolution of Parliament on June 13, preceded or I wanted the Cavalry, but didn't get followed by the emigration of most of quite high enough rnacks for sight- the members to Shanghai and Canton. they're tremendously strict for commiss. Now in the early weeks of June it sions—and they suggested this as the in Shanghai was quietly collecting num-next heaf thing, as I wanted a mounted bers of foreign bank notes of large job. People tell me I am very lucky. denominations throught the Chinese as there is great competition for these banks and exchange shops of the Settlement. This process continued until 15 lakhs of dollars had been collected, and "West, of the P.W.D., is going into as in the case of the money sent to Peking, two months earlier, these 15 lakhe did not remain long in the hands of Mr. Figge. Three lakhs were paid into the account of one Ah Sirg in foreign bank, and there is reason to believe that this is the money with which an attempt was made to saborn the Javy. As already related in our plumes, the Navy did not know whence the money, came, but it was in no doubt whatever that it ought not to be accepted and the three lakks were contemptuously rejected. The remainder of the money has been spread about in lifferent banks in the names of various revolutionaries, or, as they no doubt would like to call themselves, Repub lienns, and there for the moment the

> money remains. THE GERMANS AND CHANG HOUN. Now as regards German efforts on the other side. As we said three days ago there remains no practical doubt that Chang Hsun was also in receipt of German money. For the moment it is impossible to obtain the exact facts and figures, but that the Germans were at the back of the monarchical restoration is morally certain. Had the monarchy Sources, Annie Tollan, Rosie White, succeeded, there is no doubt that an excuse would have been found for cancelling the rupture of relations with Jermany. This, as we pointed out on Monday, was the reason why Herr Knipping and Mr. Schirmer so conveniently fell ill, when they ought to have left by the Prinzes Juliana tendays ago.
> It may be pointed out that the position of the German Consul-General in Shanghai is wrique in the consular body. Unlike the other Consuls, he is in no way responsible to the German Minister in Peking, but deals directly with the Foreign Office in Berlin. Consequently f the monarchical plot had come off and the rupture of relationships been cuncelled. Herr Knipping, would have been General from the Manile Observatory

On the other hand, if the monarchical who might be trusted to do their best to keep the country in a state of turmoil. that would have effectually prevented her from entering the war. At the present time Shanghai is full of leaders ofdisaffection; such as Dr Sun

Yat-sen, Sung Hung-yi ex-Minister of the Interior, Tang Shao-yi and Engeno ceipte for the week ending 14th July :-Chen, editor of the "Peking, Gazette." The question for the Republicans to decide is whether these men are to beallowed to keep China in a state of perpetual unrest at the bidding of Germany.

CAN YOU AFFORD THE RISK senting Germans holding up their significant feature of the work was the large place in and and calling our Kamarad."

And calling our Kamarad."

His Majesty subsequently watched another protice attack under different control of the control of th

MARINE COURT.

. STEAM LAUNCHES IN COLLISION. "

In the Marine Court, this morning, Mr. C. J. Thompson, of the Harbour Master's Department, held an informal enquiry into the circumstances connected with a collision between the steam hunch Standard belonging to the Standard Oil Company and the Steam Launch Tai On, belonging to the Wong Yau Po Company.

proceedings on behalf of the Wong Yau Po Company, and Mr. Fothergill attended on behalf of the Standard Oil Company.

The circumstances of the collision are that about 7 o'clock on the morning of July 4, a collision occurred in the Yaumati Typhoon Shelter, near the western: entrance, between the Standard and the On. It was said that the Standard auffored considerable damage to her stern which had to be entirely, renewed. The coxswain of the Standard claimed that the collision was entirely the fault of the Tai On, which overbauled the Nandard, and bumped heavily against her. The Standard's coxswain also claims that the way was going astern, and also, that the Tai On proceeded on her way without stopping to ascertain what damage had been He further states that the steam | Hongkong, 11th July, 1917. launches Fat Chang and Wa On were entering the shelter at the time of the collision, and had to go astern to avoid

The coxswains then described the movements of their launches with the aid of models. Their statements being taken and the inquiry closed.

A PRISONER'S SUICIDE.

The coroner (Mr. J. R. Wood) yesterday afternoon held an enquiry into Ping, who died at 12.27 p.m. on "the 1.24,231,063. 15th instant, whilst serving a sentence of four months hard labour in Victoria.

The deceased only entered Victoria Gaol two days prior to his death, having one the 12th instant been convicted on a charge of stealing two luly's jackets."

in the course of the enquiry, evidence was given to the effect that the deceased wrenched a bell wire from the prison wall and by attaching it to the bars of his cell, hanged himself by the neck. At the conclusion of the enquiry

verdict returned by the Jurors; Messrs, I'da Rocha, M.A. Figueredo and E. D. da Roza, was that the deceased had committed suicide by hanging himself. and that no blame could be attached to any officer of the Victoria Gaol.

ST. JOHN AMBULANCE ASSOCIATION.

"At an Examination in Home Nursing (Junior) held recently, the following candidates from the French Convent were successful .--

Annie Ackber, Rahil Arculli, Andree Baudet, Gladys Brock, Alda Franco, Rita Hazeland, Nina Hazeland, Lily Haynes, Mary Mathias, Marie Noronba, Elsie Noronha, Margaret Pan, May Ramsey, Flo Rodney, Adelina Remedics, Dorothy Siefert, Marie de Sousa, Edith Windebank, Ruby Young, Vivienne Young

Dr. W. V. M. Koch acted as Hon-Lecturer to the Class, and D. Surgeon-General Dreaper, R.N., acted as Honorary Examiner.

TYPHOON WARNING.

The telegram quoted below was reby the American Consulate at noon to day ;-

Cyclone or typhoon N. of Manila,

Approximate statement of haffie re-Receipts

28 Weeks Lest year 15,759

Increase . J.

TATERE you ever soized with a severe is told :- A young officer of srtillery saw WV attack of cramp colicor distribut about fifty Germans coming towards

COMPANY REPORTS.

THE UNITED ASSESTOS ORIENTAL AGENCY, LTD.

The Report for Presentation to the Shareholders at the Twenty-first Crelinary Annual Meeting was as follows:-The General Managers have the pleasure to lay before the Shareholders the accompanying Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st. May 1917.

The Balance at the Credit of Profit and Loss Account, including \$1,969.24 Mr F. B. L. Bowley watched the \$28,705.25, which it is proposed to appropriate as follows :-

To pay a dividend of 15 .../, on Ordinary Shares \$5,940.00 To pay a further dividend of 10 % on Ordinary Shares 3,960.00 To pay \$39.60 per Share on 100 Founders' Shares. ... 3,960.00

Ordinary Shares 3,960.00 To pay a Bonus \$39.60 per. Share on 100 Founders' carry forward to New

To pay a Bonus of 10 % on

Account (out of which it is proposed to make a. contribution to War Charities of \$2,000.00)... 6,925.25

\$28,705.25

.The Accounts now presented have off his vessel and her engines were been sudited by Mr. Francis Maitland, who, being eligible, offers himself for

DODWELL & Co., LTD., General Managers:

COMMERCIAL UNION ASSURANCE "CO. LIMITED.

The report submitted to shareholders at the fifty-fifth "Annual General Meeting, gave the following abstract of the accounts :-

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The Net Premiums for 1916 amounted to £4,025,942, being an increase of £270,050 as compared with the year 1915, and the Claims paid and outstanding to £2,081,471 or 51.7 per cent. of the Premium Income. From the Profits. of this Department the sum of £200,000 has been carried to Profit and Loss, the death of a Chinese named Wong leaving the Fire Insurance Fund at

> MARINE DEPARTMENT. The Net Premiums received were £946,548 and the Claims paid and out-

standing amounted to £622,978. From the Profits of this Department the sum of £50,000 has been carried to Profit and Loss leaving the Marine Insurance Fund at £1,392,699.

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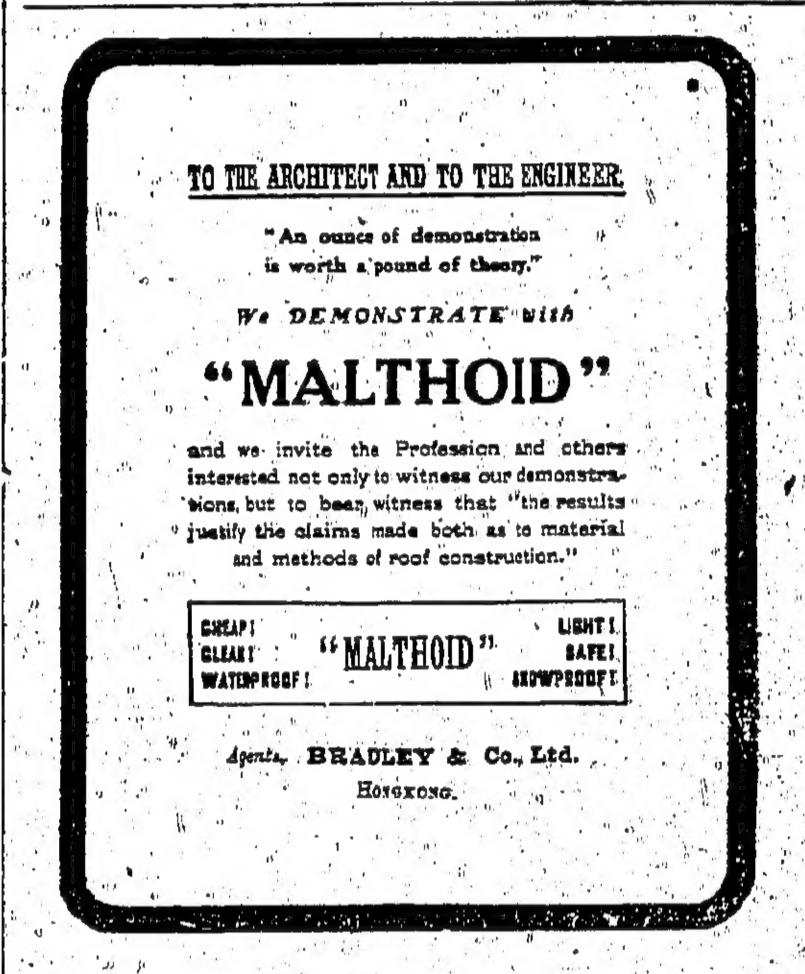
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The special correspondent of the Times." at Italian Headquarters telegraphed on May 20 :-

It is very prebable that during the whole course of the war no battle ever furnished such a spectacle to an onlooker sa that for the possession of Kuk and the Santo Ridge. Only the narrow gorge of the Isonzo separates us from the tremendous mountain "where the preparation of the attack and counter- three figures in little over an hour, Mr.C. H. Booth Leiria Mr. A. Mr. A. Linbird see the Italians lying in wait and the is shown by twelve 4's and eight Mr.F. F. Bowe crouching Austrians moving to the N's. W. Linton. Poloc, hit 58. Bowring joy of the Italians, who, finally, have at the expense of Glasgow Univer- Capt & Mrs. Branch Mr H. Mackenzie and the expense of Glasgow Univer- Mr and Mrs H. J. Mr and Mrs J. the eyes on their side and are able to sity trundlers, and was emainly Breve aprinkle the advancing groups with wellinstrumental in his side's view Mr L. A. Calderon Mr J. Madies
directed, shrannel. We see a famous, instrumental in his side's view Mr Oc E. Cameron Mr T. T. Walleson intropid leader who stands on the very tory. John Kerr, Greenock, play- Mr D. E. Cappleman Dr O. Marriott"

madly down the mountain away the bowlers playing an important ning down are easily recognized for Thomson secured three wickets for 6, the mildness of the air. We hear the megaphone onlers shouted across to the battle rise and fall like the waves seven wickets. Glasgow High School of the sea, but we see a general move-

ment which never fails to advance. On. Thursday evening the heroic Stewart's College. Florence Brigade, which first Watson's, 84; Loretto, 167. climbed Kuk and pushed along its crest, finally established contact with those troops which led the attack on Vodice. Until Eriday morning. however, the enemy had a tiny wedge projecting on the crest between the highest summit of Kuk and Hill 592. This was a blockhouse with a dozen machine-guns, which was cleaned out Chasgow Univ., 70; Poloc, 138 for 8. finally on Friday morning. During Greeneck, 91; Nomads, 83. Thursday and Friday the Italians maintained their positions against greatly superior numbers and many new Austrian batteries. Over and again the Italians yielded 50 yards and a handful! of men to take in their next rush forward

On Friday morning fresh troops appeared under the summits of Hills 592 and 652. At 9 the infernal roar of heavy calibres and bombarde suddenly lulled, and we saw three columns climb from Hill 592 to the first summit of with a white shirt in his hand. After him defiled one by one, unarmed, a hundred of his fellow-countrymen. A few minutes later's well-directed Italian energy; and it is paying Cringan shell penetrated the mouth of another cavern, with the result that some 200 compliment to say that he came a of the enemy filed out and surrendered. good second. Between Hill 652 and Santo is a saddle named 503. From this saddle we saw the Austrians advance to resist the attack of yesterday afternoon. The Italian artillery let them arrive at the very summit, when such a dose of high. explosives and shrapnel was poured out

on their heads as precluded us from seeing one single group return. Yesterday (Saturday) the whole, line was rectified and the last Austrian salient pushed back from the top. On the last and most precious peak of the rigge of Monte Santo, the ultimate goal of the attack begun" on Monday evening, lies an infantryman of the line, holding aloft in his dead hands the signal of advance. At 3.30 on Friday morning a strong countersttack from the convent ruins on the crest against the Italians, entrenched three-quarters of the way, up, failed to disturb that symbol of insistence. The Austrians were driven back to the crest, where there they have had only eyes but no trenches for five days past. Meanwhile our eyes are fixed on that

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at the top. Those who are seen run- part. For Loretto, J. H. Sinchair Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Mr H. Molden Austrians by their long great-coats, and H. M. Lean five for 40. Chasgow Mr F. H. Curry Academy's superiority over Greenock Mr and Mrs W. B. Mr J. S. Nicolson Collegiate was chiefly due to the those who are far ahead of the telephone bowling of R. A. Rolland, who for the Mr W. R. Diethelan Mr R. C. G. Oxilby lines. We see them obeyed. We see third consecutive week captured Mr D. E. Donnelly Mr & Mrs A. Oros traveled to Edinburgh, and returned with a mesitorious win over Daniel

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WEEK-DAYS SUNDAYS & Масао...... 7.30 д.м. 8.30 д.м. 7.30 д.м. 1.30 г.м. Canton ... \{7.30 A.M. 9.30 P.M. \{7.30 A.M. 9.30 P.M. \}9.30 P.M. Tai Ping Tung9.30 P.M. 9.30 P.M. 9. P.M.

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In the use of Mails closing before 9 a.m. Pegistration closes at 5 o'clock en the previous evening.

HONGKONG TIDES.

The tide-table gaven below has been compiled at the National Almanse Office in London from the result of the analysis of observations taken by means of an automatic tide-recording machine in the

Water Police Basin at Tsim Sha Tsui during the years 87-8-9. The zero of the table corresponds with the zero of the sounding in the Admiralty Chart, which has been found to be 4 feet 3 inches below mean see level To obtain the depth of water on the tide gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard

sdd. 3 feet 4 inches, and on the gange at Lamont Dock, Aberdeen, add 10 feet 4 inches to the height given in the table.

July 18th to 24th, 1917.

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HONGKONG REGISTER.

Humidity ... Direction of Westler

Gight open air temperature on the 17th P. CLAXTON Director. Employer Observatory, July 17, 1917 WEATHER REPORT.

Vludivostock, Japan, and Indo-China.

Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 2.02 inch. Total since January 1st, 41.36 inches, against an average of 45,30 inches,

noon on the 18th July :-

moderate to fresh.

No. 1.

The following Table shows the Standard Time at which Official Night ends and begins during the month of July,

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ROYAL OBSERVATORY REPORT. JULY 17, 1917.-a.13.

in-Victoria. Ten minutes, 5 cents. Quarter hour,10 Half hour,15 Every Subsequent hour,20 Note.-If the ricksha be engaged within the City of Victoria, and be discharged outside the Western part of the City of Victoria after 9 p.m. or be dis-charged to the East of Bay View Police Kagoshima Station on the Eastern side of the City Oshima

RICKSHAS.

Z .- In the Island of Hongkong if engaged

of Victoria after 9 p.m., an extra half fare shall be chargeable. II.—In Krwloon. Quarter hour, 5 cents. Every subsequent hour, 10 III .- Taipo Road ...

Twenty cents shall be added for each extra hour or part of an hour if the hirer causes the journey to take longer than :-To 4th milesingle 75 centa.... l hour. return..... \$1.00...... hours.

Beyond 4th to 6th milesingle \$1.20.... 2 hours. return\$1.50.....4 Beyond 6th to 8th milesingle\$1.75......21 return5 Beyond 9th to 11th milesingle\$2.00............3

Fares for journeys beyond the 11th mile to be a matter of previous arrangement in each case.

The fares here set out to apply to one rickshe with three coolies from Tsim Sha

FARES FOR PUBLIC CARRIAGES.

Not exceeding per passenger, From Slaughter House to 04 cents. Sailors Home From Sailors' Home to Government Civil Hos-From Government Civil. Hospital to Clock Tower From Clock Tower to Race From Clock Tower to Bay View House

From Wanchai Market to

Bay View House

From Bay View House to Quarry Bay II .- In the City of Victoria. Not exceeding

Let passenger. 10 cents. Two hours, One day from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. \$1.25 111 - Beyond Victoria.

TWO HOUTS One day from 64 m. to 6 p.m. \$1.50 If a vel mie is distinged beyond

limits of the City of Victoria half form

On the 17th at 11.33 -- Noreturns from

Pressure has ingreased slightly on the S.E. coust of China, and decreased slightly to moderately at other reporting stations. A il a.m. this morning, the typhoon was apparently enseing librory to the north of Manila, on a W.N.W.

Forecast for the 24 hours ending at 1.—Hongkong to Gap Rock : S.E. Cantons 50 \$340 s. to E. winds, moderate ; fair generally.

3. South coast of China between Unions Hongkong and Lamocks: The same as

4. South coast of China between Hougkong and Hainan : The same as FIRE INSURANCES.

OFFICIAL NIGHTS IN JULY.

7.20 p.m.

HONGKONG, DAILY WEATHER

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COTTON MULIS

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T. F. CLANTON, Director. Hongkong Observatory, July 17, 1917. I. BAROMETER, reduced to 32 degrees. Fahrenheit, on the level of the sea in inches, tenths and hundredths. grees Fahrenheit.

moisture being 100. 4. DIEXCTION OF WIND, to two points. Hongkong Ices \$ 21 \$151. 5. FORCE OF WIND, according to Hongkong Ropes ... \$ 10 \$271 b. Bes ford Scale 6. STATE OF WEATHER, b blue sky, c Bongrong Trimways 6/. \$6.40 a.

detached cloud, d drizzling rain, f. fog g gloomy, h hail, I lightning, o overcast, p passing showers, q squal, r rain s snow thunder v visibility w dew wet). Rang in inches, tenths and han-

extra is to be sllowed for the return IV.-In Kowloon. Not exceeding per passenger.

the hour.

2.00 to One day from Co.rs to 6 p.m. 6.00 Between the boars of 1120 pur and and the shows fares shall be necessed.

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SHARE REPORT.

JULY 17TH, 1917. Approximate Petern based

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Stock and paid up 11.30 A.M. ead date. "h NOWE'S BANKS. Interim of £2-3/- 1/0 Hongkong & S'hal \$12 1 1917..... MARINEIINSUB. LANCES. \$7 final making 825 a/c 1915 and Interim of \$18 a/c 1916. Int. div. of 15 % = 15/-at 3/6 A/16, \$4.25 per share a/c 1916 Final of \$215 and bonus of \$10 a/e 1915 and Interim of \$30 4/01916 \$15 making \$21 for Yangteens 860 \$1923 b. 1915 and special of \$3 ua account 1916 ... China Biros 20 \$142 b. 87 and bonus W for

\$27 for 1915 51 p.s. Hongkong Fires i... ou \$596 SHIPPING. Int of \$3 m/c 1916-1917. Douglas Steamshipe \$50 \$50 161 25 \$1.25 for 1916 Steamboate 15 \$18 Indo-Chinas :-Final of 3/- a/c 1916 (Prefarred) ... 25 840 4

Final c£ 40/- a/c 1916, ... (Detorred) ... 25 \$1011 5/- final making 7/- ate "Shell" Imagspoon £1 1201- b. 1918 free of income tax Coupon 28 \$1.50 dividend & 45 cu. Star Ferry 10 829 Bonus for year ending 30 4.16 REFINERIES. \$12 for 1916

Ch na Sugara \$ 100 | \$96 P. 5 for 1916 Malabon Sugare ... 2. 30 | \$29 b. 134 p.c. Int. div. of 1/ free of income tax, making 10% a c 1916-1917 coupon

MINING. Kailana£1 | \$4/8 b. Tle. 1 for 1416 Raube £1 | \$2.45 1/- interim making 4/-1/2 1916 Tronch Mines£1 95/6 7 % for 1915 DOCKS, WHARVES! AND GODOWNS. 8 % for 1916 & bonus 29 Kowloop Wharve \$ 60 \$68 sa. Final \$2,50 & bonns \$8, making \$11 a/c 1916 ...

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87 a/c 1916 Interim of \$35 1/c 1917. 74 p.o. 50 cents for 1918 \$2 for 1916 Interim of \$3 a/c 1917... 3 % final making 12 %

Shanghai Lands T. 50 T. 99 Tla. 9 for year ending Tle. 6 div. are year ended Shanghai Cottons T. 50 T. 124 sa. 5 p.c Tla. 0.96 for 1916 61 p.c. Kung Tik T 10 T. 141 b.

T- 5 T. 54 b. DUTEEBDOOM MISCELLANEOUS. 81 p & 'd elm for 19id Chins Bornece 12 87 p.c. for year ending Light & Powers ... \$ 6 844 28-2-06 ··········· 8 p.c. () cents for 1916 C.ins Providents \$ 10 \$7.90 33 for year ending 13 pig. 31-7-16 II pe. 80 cents for 1916

Green Islands \$ 71 \$7.30 3. HUMIDITY, in percentage of satura-tion, the humidity of air saturated with Hongkong Electricals 10 \$48 b. \$21 a/c. 1918/17 Bonus 75 cents..... 6 p.s. \$11 on s/o 1916 \$1 final and bonus \$1. 10 p.c. making 83 Final of 23 % (48 cents personre) making 30 % */c 1916

H.K. Steel Foundry Peak Tramways ... 10 \$9.10. 7 % for 1916/1917 (new) \$ 1 30 conte 25 cepts for 1915/1916. Steam Laundry 5 |\$3.40 b. Union Waterboats ... \$ 3 813

William Powell \$ 7 864 a. b. bujers. MOXUN & TAYLOB. Telegraphic Add: *KIALTO. Fhare and Usperal Brokers Telephone No. 990 .- P.O.B. No. 111.

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